

15 October 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR: Information Review Officer, DO

FROM:

Chief, Classification Review Division
Office of Information Services, DA

SUBJECT: Department of State FRUS Special
Volume on Vietnam, 1958-60

1. The State Department has requested that we review a set of documents they selected for possible inclusion in a special FRUS volume on Vietnam covering the period 1958-60. Attached for your information is a copy of State's letter to us dated 11 June 1984 transmitting the documents.

2. We reviewed the documents and found two which we believe require deletions (copies attached). In the first we deleted the name of a DO staffer on pages 815-385a and 815-385c. In the second we deleted on page 815-274m information which could identify CIA sources. Please review these two documents and return them to us with your comments. The entire set of documents (approximately 400 pages) is available for your review if you desire.

3. We are also attaching for your information and retention two documents containing interviews of former DCI William Colby by a State Department historian (pages 815-545f and g and page 815-553a). You indicated to of our office that you would be interested in seeing these examples of State Department's newly instituted practice of including oral histories in the FRUS series.

Attachments:

- A. Four Documents As Stated Above
- B. State Letter, Dated 11 June 1984

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